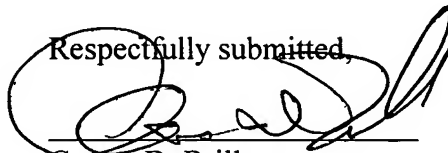


The Applicants choose to prosecute Group I without traverse including Claims 35-51. Groups II comprising claims 52-59 is deferred for later prosecution as one or more Divisional Applications. Therefore claims 52-59 are withdrawn from this application.

The Applicants wish to petition a waiver of the two month extension fee under 37 CFR 1.181 as explained in an attached 37 CFR Petition.

The Applicants enclose a Change of Address form and an Associate Power of Attorney form.

The Applicants hereby request action on Claims 35-51 and respectfully request allowance on these claims.

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